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Applicant	:	Ebrahim Firoozabady, et al.	
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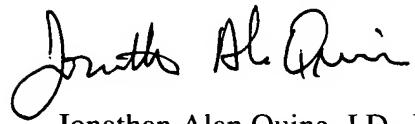
**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION**

In response to the restriction requirement of October 3, 2007, Applicants elect Group I (claims 1, 5, 10, 17-18, and 21-23), without traverse. Applicants reserve the right to pursue the unelected subject matter in one or more divisional or continuation applications.

The groups relate to independent and distinct inventions; accordingly, the election is appropriate and is made without traverse. However, this lack of traversal should not be construed as any form of agreement as to the relevance of the cited Mezzetti reference. It does not appear that the Examiner intended to state a basis for a finding of lack of novelty or obviousness premised upon Mezzetti, for any pending claim. In the event that any such meaning was intended, Applicants note that Mezzetti simply does not teach or render obvious any pending claim.

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Attachments:

- 1) A petition to extend the period of response for **3** months;
- 2) A transmittal sheet;
- 3) A fee transmittal sheet; and,
- 4) A receipt indication postcard.